

Personal Side Of D. W. Griffith As Human As His Professional Achievements Are Inspiring

There is a human interest story in Griffith, who has screened an American epic. His work is known to millions, but the man himself is not known. He has kept himself back of the camera, out of the picture, but now that he has made Broadway sit back and look at the films at Broadway prices and has got the so-called classes to drop their venerable classics and join the masses at a "movie" exhibition, the blue stockings and men of books rise to inquire what manner of man is he.

In the first place, Griffith was born in La Grange, near Louisville, Ky. He is thirty-five and has a strain of the Celt. The blend of the canny Scot and the bubbling Irishman that came down to him from his overseas ancestry shows at times in his cinema-

action and unconsciously hummed the several tunes and chords, which now form a part of the wonderful score which Breit has synchronized so well to this stirring action. These notes were caught on the fly, as it were by Breit while Griffith was working like a Trojan to finish his work and then blended into the whole with its present startling effect. This is another Griffith innovation and the first time in history that a score was conceived and utilized under such circumstances.

Griffith's memory is highly disciplined. He directed the great spectacle without scrap of paper before him, and after taking portions of it in odd lots all over the country he sat down in the late nights in the studio in California and there worked



es. His father served under Lee in the Civil War and the man who now stands at the head of his profession in this country, and perhaps the world, has not lost the spirit of the old southland.

Today he stages the great outdoors and blends the purr of a kitten with the crash of artillery, runs the whole scale of emotion in his film portraits of life, and he gets the heartbeats of the poet and the orator. He had designs on grand opera when he looked about for a career, but he found his voice at the speaking stage. Griffith's friends say he was better than the average as an actor, but he stuck to the stage for two years and quit for a place with a film company. Here is where he began to develop his talents and get his grip on the psychology of the world at make believe.

Messages of Dramatic "Pop."

No one questions his dramatic instincts. He "puts over" his scenes. Every "movie" fan knows that. But to see him at work he takes excellent care of himself and is a bunch of live wires. He has speed and power, but he never wastes energy. Working night and day at his side, one wonders if he is ever going to let up. On observing closely one sees that he is easing the strain, just as in the big crashes of his "Birth of a Nation" the tense situation is relieved by a flash of field flowers or golden grain or kittens at play.

He can tune up a player to the highest pitch of nervous energy, and when he strikes the right key he relaxes. If this director has a fun it is relaxation. His occupation is work and he seeks relaxation in dancing. There is a story going along Broadway that recently Griffith turned down an offer from the manager of a restaurant cabaret for \$250 a week to perform in the trolley. The director enjoyed the compliment, but he did not tell the house why he couldn't afford to take the job. This offer came at the close of a fourteen hour day of hard work in the studio, and he rested by dancing and making good at it.

Griffith is about five feet, ten inches in height. He carries no superfluous flesh, and he is chubby when on duty. He has written several short stories, but he is committed absolutely to the silent drama. He looks upon it as the youngest sister of the fine arts, and he hates censorship.

His Sense of Tone Colors.

The director has a fine appreciation of the tone and color of good music. He sees dramatic situations in blending of tone and color. It was this attribute which supplied the musical score to "The Birth of a Nation." In the editions and fortunate moments when he was putting the finishing touches to this great production he correlated tone to every

out in dramatic sequence the story as it is unfolded on the screen.

One statistician has figured out Griffith kept in mind a million scenes, actions, incidental and details before he ever began the work of assembling it in narrative form. Not a hitch or an incongruity got by him. As an evidence of this his secretary tells of a soldier who came into view on the film as a bugler all decked out in a spick and span uniform.

"Great heavens! What were you thinking of?" cried Griffith from the dim shadows of the projecting room. "Why, my boy, you've been fighting through the hell of war for four years, with a half-starved and half-clothed army. Go back and get a battered old uniform, and let's do it all over."

The evolution of the motion picture that measured up to the Broadway standard of dramatic worth is not surprising in view of the big strides of the mechanical and the

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